

Dawson Family



### *Active Pallbearers*

Tony Mack	Harold Coleman
Marlin Mack	Brian Campbell
Edward Long	Harold Griffin
Dale Way	Leroy Dawson, Jr.

### *Honorary Pallbearers*

Deacons  
Young Zion Missionary Baptist Church

### *Floral Attendants*

Friends of the Family

### *Acknowledgements*

The family of Mary (Sister) Dawson wish to express our deepest thanks and appreciation for the love, prayers, visits and words of encouragement shown during her illness and our time of sorrow. May God's richest blessings be upon each of you. Special thanks to Ms. Sheila Ethridge.

### *Repast*

Young Zion Missionary Baptist Church  
Fellowship Hall

### *Interment*

Malette Cemetery  
Kingsland, Georgia

Final Arrangements Entrusted To:



401 North Lee Street • Kingsland, Georgia 31548  
(912) 729-3527

## *Home Going Celebration*

for

## *Mary Elizabeth Dawson*



*Sunrise*

November 5, 1942

*Sunset*

August 21, 2011

**Saturday, August 27, 2011  
3:00 p.m.**

**Young Zion Missionary Baptist Church**  
4500 Highway 40 East  
St. Marys, Georgia 31558

Reverend Quan D. Glover, Pastor  
Reverend John E. Fields, Presiding



## Obituary

Mary Elizabeth Gordon was born on November 5, 1942 in Register Georgia, to the late M.B. Gordon and Mary Elizabeth Nixon Gordon.

During February 1943, she was entrusted to the care of her aunt, Louise Gordon Mack and Uncle Thomas J. Mack (who preceded her in death) where she continued to live as their first child, Mary Elizabeth Mack.

Mary was educated in the public schools of Tattnall, Glynn and Camden counties in Georgia. She was employed with the Gilman Nursing Home, the St. Marys Methodist Church and later worked as a domestic for a host of families in the county. She was well loved by the children of the families for whom she worked.

She married the love of her life, Clifford Dawson, who preceded her in death, on January 19, 1977.

She leaves to cherish her memories, one daughter, Shawanda (Daniel) Dawson-Wittenauer and one step-daughter, Nita (Harold) Long; six grandchildren, Savanna Wittenauer, Brooklynn Skye Clark, Arryn Clark, Shaleem (Kisa) Dempsey, Christian Long and Victoria Long; three great-grandchildren; brothers, Thomas (Janice) Mack, Leon (Shyrel) Mack, Nathaniel (Juanetta) Mack of Camden County, Johnny Gordon, Jacksonville, FL, Henry Gordon, Albany, GA and Kenneth Gordon who preceded her in death; sisters, Marvene (Harold) Coleman, York, SC, Carrie, Sykes, Irene Campbell, Camden County, Sarah Scott, Jacksonville, FL, Cathy Solomon, Albany, GA and Wylene Dawkins, Atlanta, GA; sorrowing in-laws, Leroy (Ruth) Dawson, Inez (Ted) Young and Shirley (Anthony) Domicase, Kingsland, GA, Evelyn Wright, Folkston, GA and Sylvania Dawson, Jacksonville, FL; a host of aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews, cousins and God-children; special cousins, Robert Lee and Ida Gordon, Ft. Lauderdale, FL; and special friends, Maxine Williams, Bronx, NY, Rosella Causer and Dorothy Whitaker, St. Marys, GA.

## Order of Service

Processional

Invocation ..... Reverend Anthony Domicase

Scriptures

Old Testament

New Testament ..... Reverend Arizona Perkins

Selection ..... Mass Choir

Reflections ..... Pastor Rick Douylliez

Instrumental ..... Reverend Leon Mack

Reflections ..... Sis. Dorothy Whitaker

Resolutions/Acknowledgments ..... Sister Ida Henderson

Selection ..... "Let It Rain" ..... Mass Choir

Eulogy ..... Pastor Quan D. Glover

Altar Call

Final Glance

Recessional ..... "Well Done" ..... Music Only



## I Received My Master's Call

*Sisters, Brothers, don't you cry*

*I am not saying good-bye,*

*Only hello to my Master's call*

*The greatest call of all.*

*My girls, my girls, don't you know*

*I love you so,*

*Don't you cry*

*Don't ask why*

*I am not saying good-bye*

*Only hello to my Master's call.*

*To all, I love you very much*

*To all, it's time I must depart*

*For I have received my Master's call*

*The greatest call of all.*

*I must go it alone, go it alone*

*I will see you soon, very soon,*

*I received my call*

*From my Master*

*The greatest call of all.*